

# Oil Field Environmental Incident Summary

**Incident:** 20150416152054      **Date/Time of Notice:** 04/16/2015 15:20

**Responsible Party:** ENCORE ENERGY PARTNERS OPERATING LLC

**Well Operator:** ENCORE ENERGY PARTNERS OPERATING LLC

**Well Name:** STEVENS 1

**Field Name:** BUFFALO WALLOW

**Well File #:** 5234

**Date Incident:** 4/16/2015      **Time Incident:** 09:00

**Facility ID Number:**

**County:** MCKENZIE

**Twp:** 148

**Rng:** 100

**Sec:** 7

**Qtr:**

**Location Description:** Latitude 42.655 Longitude 103.46336 Flare Pit a the Facility. 10 miles south of Arnegard.

**Submitted By:** Bart Brinkerhoff

**Received By:**

**Contact Person:** Bart Brinkerhoff  
Box 569  
powell, wy 82435

**General Land Use:** Well/Facility Site

**Affected Medium:** Topsoil

**Distance Nearest Occupied Building:** 1 Mile

**Distance Nearest Water Well:**

**Type of Incident:** Fire

**Release Contained in Dike:** Yes - On Facility Site

**Reported to NRC:** No

	Spilled	Units	Recovered	Units	Followup	Units
Oil	1	Gallons				

Brine

Other

**Description of Other Released Contaminant:**

Flare mist caused a small fire in the Barley field next to the flare pit.

**Inspected:**

**Written Report Received:**

**Clean Up Concluded:**

**Risk Evaluation:**

No risk. the fire put itself out. Flare stack is being placed in the middle of the facility Berm.

**Areal Extent:**

Burn Area is 6 feet wide and 20 feet wide.

**Potential Environmental Impacts:**

None. No oil mist is outside the berm. Field is being raked.

**Action Taken or Planned:**

The flare stack is being placed at a different location in the flare berm. This will help with any future upsets in the flare Berm from starting the field on fire.

**Wastes Disposal Location:** No wastes will need to be disposed.

**Agencies Involved:**

**Updates**

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**Date:** 4/16/2015    **Status:** Reviewed - Follow-up Required

**Author:** Espe, Brady

**Updated Oil Volume:**

**Updated Salt Water Volume:**

**Updated Other Volume:**

**Updated Other Contaminant**

**Notes:**

There was a fire at the location; field burned next to the flare. Followup is necessary.

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**Date:** 4/28/2015    **Status:** Inspection

**Author:** O'Gorman, Brian

**Updated Oil Volume:**

**Updated Salt Water Volume:**

**Updated Other Volume:**

**Updated Other Contaminant**

**Notes:**

Arrived on location at 11:10. 56 degrees F, SW wind 0-5 mph, sunny. Observed the release area and took photos. The approximate 45- X 10-foot area impacted was last fall's wheat stubble. The vegetation and oil had burned with the remaining vegetation, and the soil showed no signs of impact. New grass growth was observed in the area impacted/burned. No further followup needed, at this time.